## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

ANCHORAGE SNF, LLC d/b/a ANCHORAGE HEALTHCARE CENTER, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

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v. Case No.: 1:22-cv-00166-JRR

RAFAEL J. LÓPEZ, in his official capacity as the MARYLAND SECRETARY OF HUMAN SERVICES, et al.,

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Defendants.

## **JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Plaintiffs' Anchorage SNF, LLC d/b/a Anchorage Healthcare Center, et al, by and through undersigned counsel, and Defendants Rafael J. López, in his official capacity as Secretary of the Maryland Department of Human Services, and Laura Herrera Scott, in her official capacity as Secretary of the Maryland Department of Health (collectively, "Defendants"), by and through undersigned counsel, jointly and respectfully submit this joint status report pursuant to Judge Rubin's Amended Scheduling Order, dated November 12, 2024.

- 1. Counsel and the parties have been working cooperatively and diligently in this matter.
- 2. Significant progress has been made to settle the case, but the parties need additional time to exchange and consider proposals to determine if a resolution can be reached.
- 3. The parties do not request any changes to the Amended Scheduling Order, dated November 12, 2024.

Dated: December 27, 2024

Respectfully submitted, sb2 inc.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have electronically filed the **JOINT STATUS REPORT** with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system and served a copy of same by CM/ECF on all parties of record on this the  $27^{th}$  day of December 2024.

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